

CORRESPONDENCE.

NOTICE TO CORRESPONDENTS.

All correspondents who write for this paper are requested to report the news briefly and confine themselves to news. Puffs for merchants come under the head of paid locals, and would be inserted at the rate of 5 cents per line, otherwise we must pencil them.

Be careful not to write anything that will prove offensive to any one; a good joke is appreciated by all, but we want to make friends and not enemies of all with whom we come in contact.

Write on only one side of your paper and be sure to sign your own name to the manuscript—not for publication but for future reference and to show good faith—a failure to do this will hereafter necessarily consign your letters to the waste basket.

Please read these notes and bear them in mind, and write on one side of the paper only.

Respectfully,

THE EDITOR.

Ola, Ky.

Owing to the wet weather people stuck in the weeds and the farmers are quite backward.

William Haynes is very sick at this writing.

There is a coal bank being opened on Colly creek, and the coal is proving to be very fine they are running several hands and paying \$1.50 per day.

It seems one writer last week from Georgetown, hasn't had much experience in kissing old maids, perhaps he belongs to the frying size class, and doesn't wear a mustache. As the maids says, "a kiss without a mustache is as tasteless as an egg without salt."

Prof. Crawford passed through here Friday with his saw mill enroute to Line Fork to the great timber county where it will locate for awhile.

The beautiful summer has ushered in the glorious month of June and is an enjoyment to all intelligent people.

WHITE ROSE.

King, Ky.

The farmers are generally in good spirits now. They have made a successful attack upon the weeds, and the timely showers are falling.

Last Sunday was the regular church day at Old Poplar Creek church. There was an unusually good crowd and Bro. I. Lawson and Bro. R. Lewallen conducted the services.

J. C. McVey, formerly a citizen of our community, but now a resident of Perkins, Whitley county, was in our midst Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. King Davis, Jr., sister of A. J. Ferguson, a well-known merchant of this place, died Friday morning, June 11, at about 1 o'clock. The interment took place the following day at 10 o'clock a. m. Many friends were present.

George M. Davis and W. M. Wilson, of Williamsburg, were entertained by Miss Julia Croley, Sunday. Mr. Wilson, who is a brother of C. S. Wilson, who is a brother of C. S. Wilson, the present Superintendent of Public Schools in Whitley, we might have cause to think, was especially well cared for.

We have all been so busy for the last week that we had no occasion to talk politics, so we will ask to be excused from the topic until we may ascertain the latest developments.

Mills.

Mrs. Frank Warren has just returned home from Pineville to visit her sick mother.

Business is progressing at our little place, in handling staves, lumber and logs.

John L. Spurlock, of Moore's creek, visited our church. There were several people out, and all behaved themselves well.

Jeff Hubbard and wife and Effie Warren, of Artemus, visited our place and seemed to enjoy themselves very much with their acquaintances and friends.

Mrs. Mariady Gambrel died Thursday, the 16th, and was buried at Trace Branch graveyard. She left several to mourn their loss, she was 68 years old.

David Mills deputy sheriff of this place, started to make an arrest on some boys for shooting at John A. Bargo's shack, they eloped and the officer failed to make a success, so everything went off very quiet and nice.

Hurrah! for F. D. Sampson, our next County Judge, as every person of our place will enjoy to see the time so they can cast their votes for him. We hope him good success.

Mr. Frank Warren our late postmaster of the firm of W. B. has got his safe, I think he can now work the combination all O. K.

HAYSEED No. 2.

Flat Lick.

We had a fine rain Tuesday afternoon.

The farmers report their crops to be doing extra well.

E. G. Asher, of Pineville, was in our town Saturday selling groceries.

Quite a lot of folks from this place went to Four Mile Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Cox, daughter of Jas. M. Baker, died suddenly Sunday night, and the County Judge held an inquest, and Dr. Cecil was called upon to conduct the post mortem examination, the jury Monday night, failing to agree, another jury was empaneled Tuesday morning with the result that her death came by some cause unknown to them. The following composed the jury: Wm. Smith, Elisha Howard, G. B. Jackson, Peter Peavlia, J. W. Mills, N. H. Tyree.

P. W. Perkins, representing J. W. Zarring & Co., of Richmond, was in our town the first of the week.

John Smith, of Calve, who was injured by falling coal in a mine near Rockhold, was brought home Saturday and died Sunday night.

Messrs. Green Corum and W. H. Davis were in our town Sunday.

Miss Minnie Coone has returned from her visit to Cincinnati.

Dr. G. E. Cecil has returned from Atlantic City, N. J., where he has been attending the Medical Association.

Miss Mamie Butler, of Cincinnati, is the guest of Miss Minnie Coone.

Dan Brickey and Miss Pearl Hunter were visiting friends in Pineville Sunday.

W. A. Yeager has been very busy for the past two weeks in the lumber business, and yet it is rumored by the girls that he is considerably behind with his courting.

Mrs. Dave Yeager and daughter, Miss Lola, visited relatives in Mid-dlesboro last week.

George Messer and John H. Slusher were in Barbourville Saturday.

W. C. Pitman, of London, was in our town the first of the week.

One of the most exciting games of baseball that ever was played between two opposing teams occurred between Four Mile and Flat Lick. The score stood 26 to 10 in favor of the latter team.

MARK.

Jarvis Store.

W. F. Dozier is at home this week from Chenoa. He is shaking hands with the boys and telling them he is a candidate for Sheriff.

Willie McDonald is very popular here as a candidate for County Court Clerk. We believe we would be safe in saying he will carry this place unanimously.

Thomas Parrott is in the lead here for Assessor.

We know the three men whom I have mentioned for office are true Republicans, and believe if they are elected they will faithfully and honestly perform their duties as officers.

Sunday-school is progressing very nicely at Callahan, near this place.

Thomas Hopper and wife were pleasant callers at the home of Wm. Lawson's, Sunday.

Messrs. Fayette Dizney and Henry Lawson were all smiles this week. Wonder what it is about?

Misses Mary Taylor and Laura Kindred were pleasant callers of Miss Stella Dizney Sunday.

W. F. Dozier had numerous callers Sunday.

Miss Kansada Stacy, of Girdler, was visiting friends near here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Humfleet passed through this place Sunday homeward bound.

Lloyd Dozier was out Sunday looking for him a girl. Can any one tell him where he can find one?

Mack Vicars had many pleasant callers Sunday afternoon.

Misses Mary Helton and Mary Parrott were visiting friends near here Sunday.

JUMBO.

Oxford, Ky.

Crops look well in this neighborhood.

A good many people attended court at Georgetown last Monday.

James Bush's daughter is spending a few days visiting in Pendleton county this week.

The ice cream supper given at the Presbyterian church here last Thursday night was a grand success in every particular. The church made clear of all expenses \$52.47. We were glad to see so many of our Georgetown friends out.

A Sunday-school convention was held over at Newtown last Saturday.

Kimbrough and Ward Carrick are spending a few days over at Troy with Bro. H. L. Cockerham, this week.

Charley Brock (col.) of this place, went to Georgetown last Saturday a week ago and concluded to take the town and was killed instantly by John Woolens, Chief of Police.

Mrs. W. W. Gunnell is very low, not expecting to get well.

Lafe McKinney spent the day last Sunday with Walter Bush.

We were very much surprised at the Lone Elm distinguished poet last week. We think he has the right name, "Hay Seed." He went away back to his childhood days and found that little piece of poetry he got off on me. Come again, Brother, by the time I get through with you I think you will change your name.

Walter Bush met with a severe accident one day last week while riding home from his store on a bicycle, and, going down a grade, his wheel became unmanageable, throwing him over against a bank, bruising him up very badly. Fortunately no bones were broken.

The death of Miss Lizzie Aulick, of near Payne's Depot, daughter of Mr. and Mr. J. B. Aulick, occurred at her home last Monday, the 13th, at 9 o'clock. She was born in Pendleton county, and united with the Richmond Baptist church at the age of 14, and afterward moved to Scott county with her father, and there resided until she was called away. Deceased had been sick for sometime with stomach trouble. During all of her sickness she suffered with untold agony, but bore them all with that childlike faith until God released her from her pain.

As a Christian, she was patient and loving; and as a friend, was kind, and was always the same to all who knew her. Like the calm, unbroken sweetness of a summer day, was the life that this gentle, lovely woman lived; but now as she has bade us all farewell for a short time our hearts, though filled with anguish, can but cry, "He knoweth best," and the gates of this life are barred forever. She has crossed the dark rolling sea of death and no words that could ever be written would be anything in comparison to the happy home she is enjoying today. And as we looked on the cold, still form in death, her peaceful look seemed to say, "Loving friends weep not for me, I long to be at rest."

She leaves four brothers and four sisters and a host of friends to mourn their loss. Funeral services were conducted at her home by Bro. Stout,

and after which her remains were laid to rest in the beautiful cemetery at Georgetown.

May the memory of life that she lived be a beautiful example to the friends and loved ones she has left behind.

BLUEGRASS JOHNNY.

Bailey's Switch.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Letcher, R. O. Allen, of Barbourville, and Mrs. J. E. Gilbert, of Jellico, Tenn., visited Noah Rogers and family, near Jarvis Store, Sunday, and other relatives, also.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Wilson, of Jarvis Store, visited Jesse Turner, near Emanuel Sunday.

Misses Mary Taylor and Laura Kinder visited Miss Stealy Dizney Sunday.

James E. Jones, of Jarvis' Store, and one of our enterprising merchant and farmers, was in Barbourville Saturday on business. Mr. Jones said that he had repaired the Knox Fork Bridge, and that it was all right now.

Mr. S. M. Bennett was the guest of Willie McDonald, at Knox Fork, Sunday.

Wm. Bailey, of Girdler, was the guest of his brother, J. R. Bailey, at this place Sunday.

W. H. Grace and wife were guests of E. S. Trosper Sunday.

Misses Lucy and Fannie Beatty were guests of their brother, Arch Beatty Sunday.

The boys up here say they will go to Barbourville to celebrate the 4th of July with the Odd Fellows at the the Fair Grounds, and hear the best orators in the State speak.

W. S. TAYLOR.

40 PER CENT OFF.

The Delegation that went to Frankfort last Friday in the interest of the Tax-payers of our county, succeeded in having 40 per cent of the 50 per cent raise proposed, take off, and as a consequence the tax payers will only have to stand a 10 per cent raise instead of 50 per cent. This will surely be good news to our tax-payers and while we feel that the entire 50 per cent should have been taken off, yet we consider that the delegation was fortunate indeed to get the reduction they did.

Fiscal Court Further Reduces the Tax Levy.

Last Tuesday the Fiscal Court met in the city and after taking into consideration the 10 per cent raise imposed upon the tax-payers, by the State Board of Equalization. They decided that the county could reduce the tax levy 5 cents on the \$100, which will bring the tax rate down to almost normal.

The 10 per cent raise will only affect real estate outside of town lots and the 5 cents on the \$100 will apply to all taxes whether on real estate or money, notes, &c, so that where the penalty is imposed upon the one hand, the reduction upon the other will give some relief. The Fiscal Court is to be congratulated by the tax payers for this action.

Joint Institute.

At the teachers' joint institute held in this city last year, between the counties of Bell and Knox it was unanimously agreed by all the teachers to hold the next Annual Institute at Pineville, Bell county, and in accordance with that agreement the Institute will meet in Pineville on Tuesday, July 5th. All the teachers of Knox county are expected to attend.

It would be well for all to go to Pineville on the train Monday evening as that will put them there in good time for the opening of the Institute on Tuesday morning.

By holding a joint institute with our neighboring county of Bell, it gives opportunity for a larger assembly of teachers and a broader exchange of views upon the subjects that may come up for discussion. A very pleasant time is anticipated.

A Serenade.

Last Monday night between the hours of 11 and 12 o'clock we were awakened by the sweet strains of music vibrating the gentle zephyrs of the soft mountain air. We listened and wondered. We pinched our selves to see if we were really awake, or were we dreaming that we had entered the pearly gates and listening to the golden harps that the angels play. We soon learned that we were not in dreamland but were awoken and that the music we heard was not angelic music but some choice selections rendered for the especial benefit of the Editor and family, by the Orchestra, of the Round Dozen Club, of this city.

We wish to thank them for the kind remembrance and assure them that their music was very much appreciated, and that they will be welcome visitors at any time they may choose to make a return visit.

We will be sure to have the dog chained so that there will be no danger.

The Lovely Woodland Pastures.

Of the Blue Grass country are seen to best advantage from the trolley cars that run every hour between Lexington, Georgetown and Paris.

BOARDING.

All persons wishing accommodations at

The World's Fair, St. Louis,

can make arrangements for same by addressing Mrs. G. W. BAILEY,

3229, Pine St.

Rates: \$1.50 to \$2.00 per day.

Special rates to Parties.

Commissioner's Sale.

John J. Hagan, &c.,
vs.
Thomas F. McVey, &c.

Knox Circuit Court, under judgment herein the undersigned will, on Monday, June 27, 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., sell at the Court-house door in Barbourville, Ky., on a credit of six months, a lot or parcel of land lying in East Corbin, Knox County, Ky., beginning at the corner of R. H. Wigginton's lot on the north side of Main street; thence N 65 E 96 feet to Looney's corner; N 25 W 145 feet to Looney's corner; thence a straight line 120 feet to Lynn Camp creek; thence with the creek to Wigginton's corner; thence S 21 E 225 feet to the beginning. Said lot will be sold to raise the sum of \$146.74, and \$49.50 cost, the purchaser will execute bond with good security bearing interest from date, with a 10 per cent reserved upon said lot until all the money is fully paid.

W. F. WESTERFIELD,

Com. Knox Circuit Court.

This June 1, 1904 6-10-3t.

Commissioner's Sale.

The National Supply Co.,
vs.
P. T. Dodge and Eelin Oil Co.

Knox Circuit Court, under judgment herein, the undersigned will, on Monday, June 27, 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., sell at the Court-house door in Barbourville, Ky., on a credit of three months the following property:

One boiler, one engine, one tank, pumping power, belt and casing, tubing, sucker rods, jacks, pull wire and connections for pumping two wells, all of which is situate on the farm of M. Bingham, on Collins' Fork of Goose Creek, in Knox County, Ky., and 16 joints of casing lying on the farm of Thomas Hale on Collins' Fork of Goose Creek, in Knox County, Ky. Said property will be sold to raise the sum of \$1,100. The purchaser will execute bond with good surety, bearing interest from date and having the force and effect of a judgment, &c.

W. F. WESTERFIELD,

Com. Knox Circuit Court.

This June 1, 1904. 6-10-3t.

Assignee's Notice.

To the creditors of E. G. Saulsberry of Flat Lick, Kentucky.

The creditors of E. G. Saulsberry, of Flat Lick, Ky., are hereby notified that at the July term of the Knox County Court, which is the fourth Monday in July, I will, as Assignee of said Saulsberry, ask to be discharged as said Assignee because all of his creditors at the date of said assignment have been paid.

HENRY J. SCOTT,

Assignee of E. G. Saulsberry, Flat Lick, Knox county, Ky.

This May 21st, 1904. 15-4t

Commissioner's sale.

W. H. CAMPBELL, Adm'r. Plaintiff.
vs.
NANCY BRITTAIN, Etc. Defendants.
Commissioner's Notice of Sale.

Knox Circuit Court under judgment herein the undersigned will on Monday, June 27th, 1904, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m. sell at the door of the court-house in Barbourville, Ky., on a credit of six months, a tract of land situated in Knox county, on the Brittain Fork of Indian creek. Beginning at a dogwood on Sally Campbell's line; thence N 67 E. 218 poles to maple; thence S. 25 E. 70 poles to 5 chestnuts; thence S. 67 W. 250 poles to a stake; thence N. 50 W. 20 poles to a beach; Parson's corner; thence N. 12 W. 37 poles to a hickory on the south side of the road; thence N. 68 E. 31 poles to a walnut; thence N. 30 W. 18 poles to the beginning.

A sufficiency of said land will be sold to raise the sum of \$38.05, and the further sum of \$24.00 cost. The purchaser will give bond with good security bearing interest from date and having the force and effect of a judgment. A lien will be retained on said land until the money is fully paid.

W. F. WESTERFIELD,
Com. Knox Circuit Court.

June 6th, 1904. 6 10 3t

Professional Cards.

J. M. ROBSON,

LAWYER.

OFFICE in Caudill Building, next door to Hotel Knox.

BARBOURVILLE, KY.

M. G. HIGNITE,

LAWYER,

Supt. of Public Schools, Office in Court-house.

BARBOURVILLE, KY.

S. B. DISHMAN,

LAWYER,

BARBOURVILLE, KY.

THOS. D. TINSLEY,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

Office on Public Square. Notary in Office. PHONE 101.

FLEM D. SAMPSON,

LAWYER.

BARBOURVILLE, KY.

Careful attention given to all business entrusted to our care.

J. D. TUGGLE,

LAWYER

BARBOURVILLE, KENTUCKY.

J. R. SMYTH,

DENTIST.



OFFICE

Over Postoffice. Telephones.
Office 33, Res. 81.

A. L. PARKER,

DENTIST,

Office over First National Bank.

BARBOURVILLE, KY.

Consultation free.

For a nice, clean Shave
or neat Hair cut
Call on—
John Carmichael,
In the HOTEL KNOX.
Clean Towels and
Sharp Instruments.
Polite and Courteous to all.

GOING TO THE Worlds Fair? USE THE Henderson Route

The line that is comfortable beyond a doubt
Free Reclining Chair Cars
Official Route for Kentuckians to

St. Louis

Ask for our rates
Geo. L. Garrett, L. J. Irwin,
T. P. A. G. P. A.
Louisville, Ky.